

GWOU ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD
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RESOLUTION NUMBER 79

WHEREAS, in today's society the health and safety of the community are most often entrusted to the stewardship of responsible public agencies; and

WHEREAS, in many instances, it is incumbent upon the citizens to add their voices so that decisions on public issues are made with the interests of the people primarily at the core of the decision-making process; and

WHEREAS, currently there is an ongoing concern over the Department of Energy's inadequate efforts to clean-up the radioactive contamination in the groundwater at Weldon Springs; and

WHEREAS, this groundwater flows into the Missouri River which is a primary source of water for the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, it is of the utmost importance that the citizens of this City have the opportunity to join with the residents of St. Louis County in voicing their concerns on this vital issue; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we join with the St. Louis County Council in strongly urging the United States Department of Energy to extend the period within which written comments can be made concerning the clean-up radioactive contamination of Weldon Springs until at least December 31, 2000 and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to send a copy of this Resolution to the United States Department of Energy.

Introduced on the 7th day of July, 2000 by:

Honorable Phyllis Young, Alderman 7th Ward

Adopted this the 7th day of July, 2000 as attested by:

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